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# DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION STATE OF GEORGIA

### INTERDEPARTMENT CORRESPONDENCE

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RS-2951(1) Telfair County EDS-441(12) Telfair County EDS-441(13) Talfair County

OFFICE Preconstruction

DATE December 29, 1989

FROM

J. B. Johnson, P.E., Assistant Director of Preconstruction

TO

Juan Durrence, District Engineer - Cartersville

SUBJECT

NOTICE OF LOCATION AND DESIGN APPROVAL

Attached for your further handling is the approved Location and Design Report on the above subject project.

Also attached is the Notice of Location and Design Approval. This is your authorization to proceed with advertisement.

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Attachment

cc: Charles Lewis
Bob Humphrey
Frank Danchetz
Gene Skeen
Walker Scott
Paul Liles

# DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION STATE OF GEORGIA

### INTERDEPARTMENT CORRESPONDENCE

RS-2951(1) Telfair County

OFFICE Atlanta, Georgia

EDS-441(12) Telfair County

EDS-441(13) Telfair/Wheeler Counties

P.I. Nos. 531105, 531100, 561470

November 8, 1989

FROM

Walker W. Scott, Jr., P.E., State Road & Airport Design Engineer

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Alva R. Byrom, P.E., State Highway Engineer

SUBJECT

Location and Design Report Approval

# **DESCRIPTION:**

RS-2951(1) From US 280/SR 30, southwest of McRae, to US 441/SR 31, south of McRae (1.4 miles).

EDS-441(12) From US 441/SR 31, south of McRae, easterly and northerly to US 341/SR 27 (2.85 miles).

EDS-441(13) From US 341/US 27 northerly crossing the Southern Railroad at grade, bridging the Little Ocmulgee River, then extending northwesterly cross US 280/SR 30 and the Seaboard Railroad at grade, and intersecting US 441/SR 31 near the Little Ocmulgee State Park entrance (2.4 miles).

## PROJECT PROPOSAL:

RS-2951(1) On new location construct two travel lanes consisting of 24 foot wide paving, 10 foot wide shoulders and ditches on four lane right of way.

EDS-441(12) On new location construct two 12 foot wide travel lanes in each direction, with a 44 foot wide depressed median, 10 foot wide shoulders, and ditches. Twin bridges (38' x 320') over Sugar Creek.

EDS-441(13) On new location, construct two 12 foot wide travel lanes in each direction, with a 44 foot wide depressed median, 10 foot wide shoulders, and ditches. Twin bridges (38' x 900') are required over the Little Ocmulgee River. Two at grade railroad crossings. Lower the grade and widen US 341 from two lanes to four lanes with a 14 foot wide flush median at its intersection with the proposed bypass.

ESTIMATED COSTS		CURRENT	APPROVED
RS-2951(1):	Constr. (Incl. Infl. & E/C)	\$1,720,000	\$1,573,000
	Right of Way	\$ 142,000	\$ 96,000
EDS-441(12):	Constr. (Incl. Infl. & E/C)	\$6,715,000	\$6,059,000
	Right of Way	\$ 194,500	\$ 195,000
EDS-441(13):	Constr. (Incl. Infl. & E/C)	\$8,404,000	\$7,444,000
	Right of Way	\$ 570,000	\$ 501,000

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CONCEPT APPROVAL DATE: May 18, 1988

<u>CONCEPT UPDATE</u>: Maximum allowable grade = 4.5%. Cost estimates updated according to more recent cost figures. EDS-441(13) - Lower the grade and widen 0.6 miles of US 341 from two lanes to four lanes with a 14 foot wide flush at its intersection with the proposed bypass.

ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT APPROVAL DATE: RS-2951(1) - June 12 1989 EDS-441(12) & EDS-441(13) - N/A

<u>PUBLIC HEARING RESULTS</u>: RS-2951(1) - At the Telfair Community Service Center, McRae, Georgia on June 29, 1989; 37 citizens attended, 23 responses; 7 opposed; 14 support; 2 uncommitted/conditional.

EDS-441(12) & (13) - At the Telfair Community Service Center, McRae, Georgia on July 20, 1988; 82 citizens attended, 35 responses; 5 opposed; 27 support; 3 uncommitted/conditional.

<u>RECOMMENDATIONS</u>: That we approve these projects location and design and that the attached "Notice" be approved for advertising.

ATTACHMENTS: Sketch Map, Typical Sections, Cost Estimates, Notice

RECOMMENDED:

G. Charles Lewis, P.E., Director of PreConstruction

APPROVED:

Olva/2 Byrom, P.E., State Highway Engineer

### NOTICE OF LOCATION AND DESIGN APPROVAL

PROJECT: RS-2951(1) Telfair County

EDS-441(12) Telfair County

EDS-441(13) Telfair/Wheeler Counties

P.I. Nos.: 531105, 531100, 561470

NOTICE is hereby given that the Georgia Department of Transportation has approved the Location and Design of the above projects.

Project RS-2951(1) Telfair County, US 280 Connector, provides for construction on new location of two lanes on four lane right of way from US 280/SR 30, southwest of McRae to US 441/SR 31, south of McRae for a distance of 1.4 miles.

Project EDS-441(12) Telfair County, South Bypass, provides for construction on new location of two lanes in each direction with a 44 ft. wide grassed median from US 441/SR 31, south of McRae, easterly and northerly to US 341/SR 27 for a distance of 2.85 miles.

Project EDS-441(13) Telfair/Wheeler Counties, North Bypass, provides for construction on new location of two lanes in each direction with a 44 ft. wide grassed median from US 341/SR 27 northerly crossing the Southern Railroad at grade, the Little Ocmulgee River, then extending northwesterly crossing US 280/SR 30 and the Seaboard Railroad at grade, and intersecting US 441/SR 31 near the Little Ocmulgee State Park entrance for a distance of 2.4 miles. This project will also consist of widening 0.6 miles of US 341 from two lanes to four lanes with a 14 foot wide flush median at its intersection with the proposed bypass.

These projects will be partial limited access and will require a minimum of 200 feet of right of way.

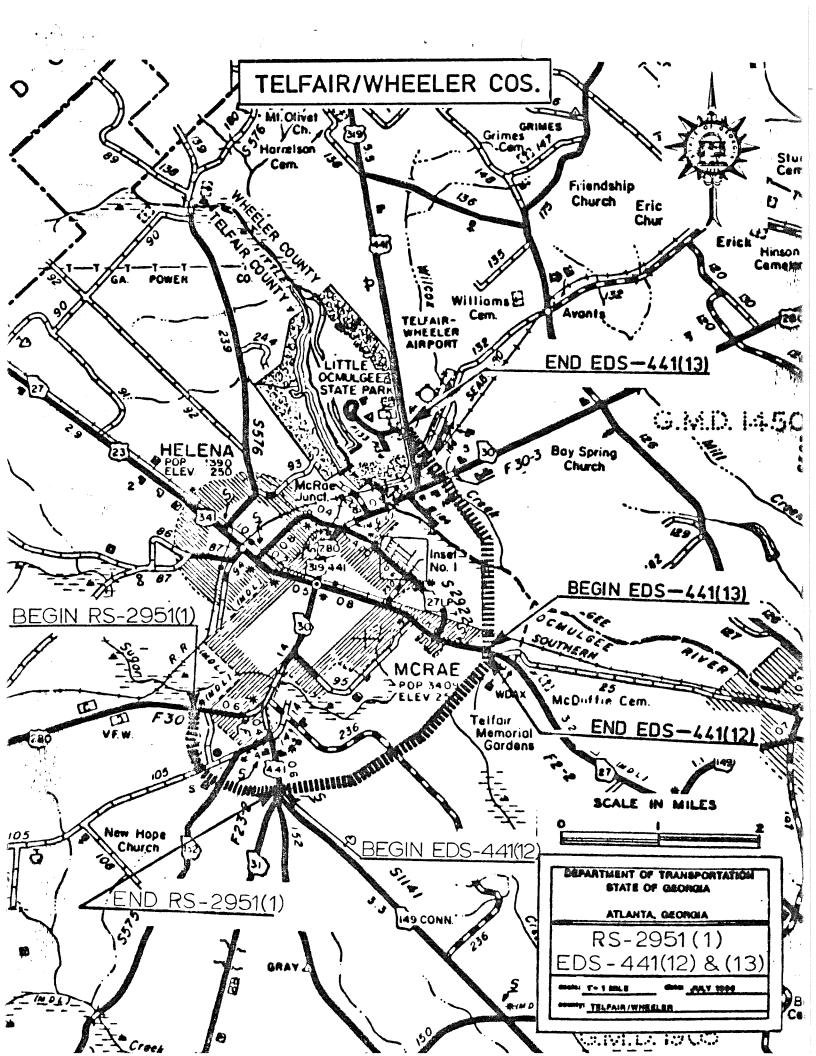
The purpose of the projects is to provide for future traffic capacity, relieve congestion on existing routes, improve safety, and provide for the Governor's Road Improvement Program.

Drawings of the proposed projects are on file and are available for public inspection for ten (10) days after the publishing of this Notice at the Georgia Department Transportation, Jesup District Office, Pine Street Extension, Jesup, Georgia. Telephone (912) 427-5716.

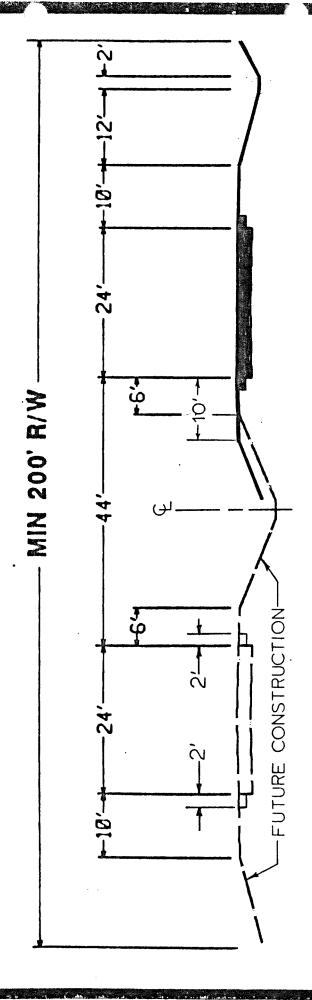
Any written request in reference to this Notice may be referred to:

Walker W.Scott, P.E.
State Road & Airport Design Engineer
GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
No. 2 Capitol Square, Room 444
Atlanta, Georgia 30334

Telephone (404) 656-5836

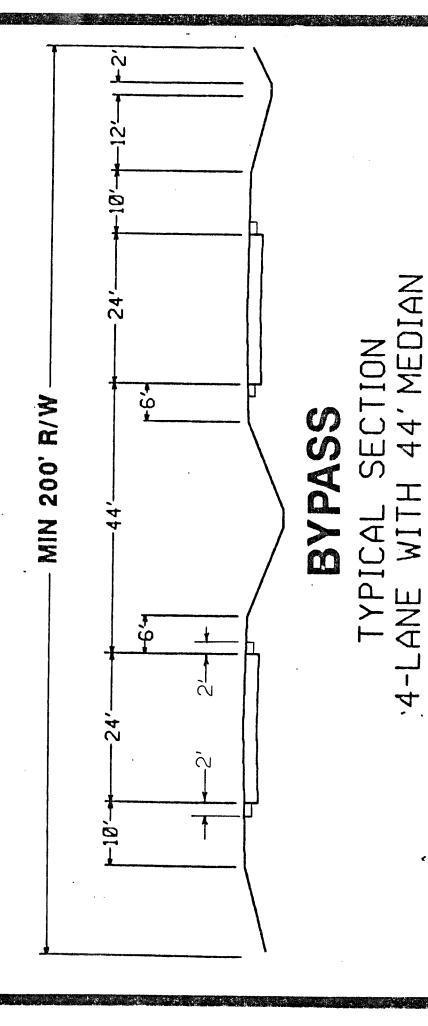


# PROJECT RS-2951(1), TELFAIR COUNTY



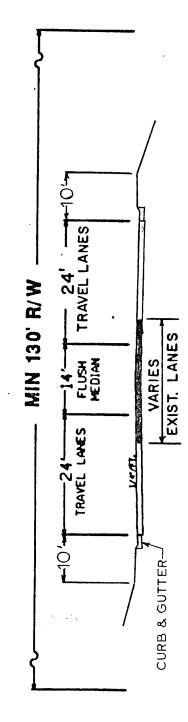
TYPICAL CROSS SECTION US 280 CONNECTOR

PROJECT EDS-441 (12) & (13) TELFAIR / WHEELER



PROJECT EDS-441 (13) TELFAIR/WHEELER

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